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Letter dated 4 February 2003 from the Permanent Representative of Serbia and Montenegro to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to inform you that, following the adoption and promulgation of the Constitutional Charter of Serbia and Montenegro by the Assembly of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia on 4 February 2003, as previously adopted by the National Assembly of the Republic of Serbia on 27 January 2003 and by the Assembly of the Republic of Montenegro on 29 January 2003, the name of the State of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia was changed to "Serbia and Montenegro". Accordingly, I should appreciate it if you made the appropriate arrangements so that as of 4 February 2003, the name of Serbia and Montenegro is used instead of the name of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia for all official purposes within the United Nations. Consequently, all references to the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia in all resolutions of the General Assembly and of the Security Council and in all United Nations official documents should be deemed to refer to Serbia and Montenegro.

The current representatives of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia continue to represent Serbia and Montenegro in the Organization.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter circulated as a document of the General Assembly and of the Security Council.

(*Signed*) Dejan **Šahović**
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